

CARDS AND DANCING

Misses Browns Entertain Their Friends.

DOUBLE SURPRISE PARTY

Given Miss Ella Johnson Last Wednesday Evening.

A card and dancing party was given Thursday evening by Miss Brown and North Lawrence avenue. The first part of the evening was spent with playing cards and after a dainty lunch was served, the guests repaired to the third floor which had been beautifully and artistically decorated with evergreens and pink roses, and the remainder of the evening passed quickly away amid the merriment of the waltz.

Miss Marie Lutting proved to be the most adept waltz player among the ladies and received the first prize which was a beautiful cut glass vase. Mr. Howard Moffit was the prize winner among the gentlemen and was awarded with a handsome memorandum case mounted in silver.

The invited guests were: Misses Gilmore of Winfield, Lily of Marion, Ia., Purman of Topeka, Garwood, Parks, Emma of Topeka, Ellen of Hinton, Akin, Knorr, Reed, Florence Reed, Girty, Mordick, Sedie Joseph, Lullin, Hittinger, Cox, Ricks, McAdams, Noyes, Stotler, Hartman, Sargent, Minnie Sargent, Woods, Julia Woods, Carpenter, Pierce, Lehman, Ward, Lewelling, Pauline Lewelling and Josephine. Messrs. Howard Wheeler, Ira Pierce, Edgar Gordon, Bruce Priddy, Fred Little, Jim Vincent, Dr. Hoffman, Harry Kiser, Danny Knorr, Ben Anwalt, A. B. Biehn, Frank Noyes, R. Noyes, Howard Moffit, Given Hagney, Claud Larimer, Fred Heller, Sydney Chapman, George Little, Walter James, Park Imboden, Rob Norris, Charles Topping, S. Shattuck, Chas. Joseph, Delos Woods, A. Davenport, Elmer Reese and Adrian Houck.

DOUBLE SURPRISE PARTY.

Wednesday being Miss Ella Johnson's birthday, her father and cousin, Miss Minnie Canby, took advantage of that fact to prepare a pleasant surprise for her. On going to the door early in the evening, she was greeted by the young ladies who are members of her Sabbath school class. While Miss Johnson was entertaining them, another crowd gathered in the adjoining room of Mrs. Fenton in the Smith-Skinner block, and, about an hour later, gave Miss Johnson a second surprise. Suitable refreshments were served and the evening was delightfully spent in music and choruses.

Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Dugan, Mrs. Reed, Mrs. Fenton, Misses Bertha Johnson, Hermie Price, Jennie Morgan, May Thompson, Corrie Tucker, Lenora Elie, Winnie Richards, Bessie Kaye and Lillie Farmer; Messrs. Ott, Price, Adam Price, Miner Myers and John Bailey.

MISS DICKERSON SURPRISED.

A pleasant surprise was given Miss Myrtle Dickerson Wednesday evening at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Dickerson, 26 South Fern street, West Side. The evening was spent very pleasantly by the young folks, when at a late hour a dainty lunch was served, a short time after which the crowd adjourned. Those present were Misses Vergie and Rhoda Carney, Myrtle Cullum, Etta Martin, Francis Wright, Kithie Hill, Pearl Barrows, Mamie Nossy, Maud Lahr, Icy Dickerson, Jessie Lyons, Minnie Montgomery and Gertrude Garrison; Messrs. Donald Payne, Bruce Price, Walter Moore, Clarence Burrows, Tom Dale, Huber Moore, Lee Clark, Clyde Montgomery, Charlie Dickerson, Louis Anderson and Curtis Alexander.

MISS BROWN ENTERTAIN.

On Tuesday afternoon Miss Brown and Miss Annie Brown entertained a number of their young lady friends at their handsome home on North Lawrence avenue. The house was beautifully decorated. The guests were entertained with several very interesting games, for which Miss Stotler received as a prize an elegant box of Mozart. In the drawing contest Miss Ella Heller received a handsome book. A light and dainty lunch was served, shortly after which the ladies departed, each bearing a souvenir as a remembrance of the pleasant occasion.

HYGIANA PROGRAM.

The Hygiana ladies met at their rooms Monday afternoon and the meeting was led by Mrs. Nafziger, the subject being "Home and Education." The following very interesting program was rendered: Piano solo..... Miss Louise Lewelling Paper, "Psychology of Childhood"..... Mrs. Church Discussion of foreign paper..... Miss Shultz Piano and violin duet..... Miss Nafziger and Miss Norton Music for children..... Mrs. Nafziger Vocal solo..... Mrs. Bryant Piano and violin duet..... Mrs. Bryant

PATRIOTIC DINNER PARTY.

Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Nordberg gave a patriotic dinner on Wednesday evening. The decorations were flags, which were hung and suspended in great profusion throughout their home. Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Oliver gave a dinner last evening to a large party of ladies and gentlemen.

DINNER PARTY.

Mr. and Mrs. Hiram Imboden gave a party Friday evening to about forty guests who were entertained in the usual happy manner in which the host and hostess are so noted. Mrs. Edwina Taylor gave a six course dinner on Friday in honor of Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Foss of Kansas City.

MUSIC AND DRAMA.

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COMIC OPERA.

The appearance of the Calhoun Opera company at the Crawford on the night of Friday, February 25, will be an event of interest to lovers of good music, even some stage settings and pretty girls. The company have just concluded a most successful engagement at Salt Lake. The Herald of February 1 says: "The Calhoun Opera company is a first-class organization, carrying its own scenery and properties, caldums and furniture. By this means they are able to give a performance complete and new in every detail, and not belittled by the sight of old stock sets of scenery. The three acts of the opera, 'The Girl of the Year,' is a charming opera, each won a round of applause, the ducal palace of the second act, and the moonlight view of Florence—showing the lighting up of the city—were very beautiful.

"But all this was completely overshadowed by the beauty of the music, costumes and pretty girls of the opera. Of these, Miss Carlotta Gilman, who plays Amorita, the furrier's daughter, easily takes first prize, her voice being pure, true and sympathetic, her character, which is something of the Juliet or Marguerite type, was very sweetly enacted, and her numbers were several times recalled. Next to Miss Gilman, Miss Adelaide Farrington, in the role of Angelo, a sculptor, may be mentioned. Her voice, although more on the order of the conventional opera singer, was true, and altogether pleasant, and her manner at once graceful and charming. Her wedding costume was very beautiful, as was also that worn by Miss Gilman. Of the other ladies of the cast, Miss Blanche Lewis, as the furrier's apprentice and the Armstrong sisters as officers of the guard, were each good in their respective roles. Mr. George Lyding stands at the head of the men's voices. Mr. Edward Webb, Montjoy Walker and Carlton King making up the complement. Of these, Mr. Lyding is a sweet and sympathetic tenor, and he is, to use a common phrase, a 'good looking' (Minnie girls, look up your hearts). Mr. Walker, who is the comedian of the company, is very clever, and is unusually favored in possessing a good voice. In addition to his comical abilities, Mr. Webb as a duet, or fop of Florence, and Mr. King, as a conspirator, in a tall black hat, each helped to bring out the humor of the opera.

EDWIN ROSTELL.

The Cincinnati Enquirer says: "Edwin Rostell presents a comedy, 'The Merchant of Venice,' last evening before a fashionable and critical audience. To those who saw this young tragedian play 'Hamlet,' Thursday evening, and who saw him play it so well, probably formed the opinion that in so difficult a role as 'Shylock' and so contradictory to the melancholy Dane, he could not possibly be equal to such an effort, but he was a surprise and played the crafty, desperate part remarkably well. Mr. Rostell has many essentials of a great actor. In the two plays presented during his engagement he has proven himself a consummate student of the legitimate drama. He has that art of cultivated force, at all times held in reserve until necessary to bring into action, when one can but wonder how so slight a man can really command it. He never runs nor 'mimes' at any scene, but always suits the 'action' to the 'word.' Mr. Rostell is a connoisseur of Shylock in somewhat similar to Mr. Irving's, especially in the 'trial scene.' Judging by the splendid performance last evening, it is safe to assert that 'Richie' will be rendered in an admirable manner, and all who appreciate the great play should attend."

Mr. Rostell will appear Saturday, Feb. 18, in 'Shylock' for his matinee bill, presenting at night his magnificent production of 'Cardinal Richelieu.'

The citizens of this city will again have the pleasure of attending one of those entertainments which have become so popular the past few months—Edison's 'Moving Pictures' as shown by the Froelichoscope—wonderful results of the art of photography. Some shots caught by this instrument are so alive and represent the most advanced form of art—that of reproducing the human movements as they are in life. Edison's Moving Pictures, Feb. 18. The Miners' Association are entertaining Miss Emma Grief of Topeka.

NEAR TWO HUNDRED

Dollars Cleared by the Home Entertainment.

TWO THOUSAND TICKETS

Were Sold Before the Doors Were Opened.

It was estimated the total sale of tickets for the children's home entertainment at the Auditorium last night was 2,100. The directors think they cleared \$200. It was probably the largest audience of the season. Much credit is due to those who took part. They all donated the use of their services. Thos. Shaw donated the use of two pianos.

Shaw's orchestra is entitled to especial mention. The grand march and fancy hoop drill by sixteen pretty little girls dressed in red, white and blue was one of the most delightful features of the evening. Much credit is due Hattie Orist Clark for the admirable drill she trained and drilled them till they executed every maneuver perfectly. The solo and choruses, Columbia, was beautifully rendered, led by Mrs. Clark, who always delights an audience by her singing. She fully sustained her reputation as an artist. Miss Hossfeld in the three tableaux, Columbia, Liberty Enlightening the World and Peace, with her splendid Grecian features and perfect form, could not have been excelled. Mrs. Walden, accompanied by Henry Huttman, rendered two solos in her beautiful and charming manner and was received by the audience with great favor. Miss Wood gave a reading followed by J. D. Caldwell in an imitable parody. The reading by Miss Millison. The Romance of the Ganges, was the work of a true artist, assisted by seven of Fairmount college girls, who gracefully assisted in the tableau vivant.

E. B. Walden ably rendered that patriotic song, "The Star Spangled Banner," and awakened a patriotic sentiment in every auditor. The tableaux, Good Bye and the Return, by Mr. and Mrs. Naylor, assisted by Garver brothers, was affecting. Mrs. Naylor looked every inch the splendid mother. Col. H. W. Lewis rendered the solo, "The Hungry Army," in his usual felicitous manner and received much applause.

The duet by Mrs. Childs and Mrs. Hattie Orist Clark, "Brave Boys are They," pleased the great audience and it showed its appreciation by prolonged applause. The program was closed by a solo by Miss Ensworth and the chorus by the young girls of the high school and Lewis academy. The audience joined in the chorus and all went away pleased with the success of the entertainment. Much credit is due to the ladies in the worthy cause.

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PLACES OF WORSHIP.

German Evangelical church, 337 South Market. Sunday school, 9:30 a. m. Services, 10:30 a. m.

The Ladies' Aid society of the Central Christian church will serve meals during the Masonic grand lodge meeting, next week.

Prof. A. W. Connett will lecture at the Spiritualist temple, 213 South Water, Sunday evening at 7:30; subject, "The Gods and the Gods."

Offertory solo at St. John's church this morning by Mr. George Westgate. Violin obligato by Prof. Pitts. The evening offertory by Caspar Haines.

Library Hall, 125 North Main. "Simplified Laws Symposium by the Radical club," at 3 p. m. Lecture by Dr. Trissel at 7:30; subject, "Heaven and Hell." Free tests by Wichita mediums.

Church of Christ, Scientist, in Fletcher block, 112 West Second street. Bible lesson sermon at 10:30 a. m.; subject, "True Faith." Experience meeting at 7:30 on Friday evening. Reading room open daily.

Reformed church, owing to the absence of the pastor from the city, the regular services will be omitted today. Sunday school at 9:45 a. m. Mr. Silas S. Brown, superintendent. Young People's meeting at 6:30 p. m. Everybody cordially invited to these services.

Lawrence avenue Christian church. Preaching at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. by the pastor, G. T. Black; subject in the morning, "The Church of Christ." In the evening, "The Use and Abuse of Law." Sunday school at 9 p. m. Junior C. E., 4 p. m. Senior C. E., 6:30 p. m.

St. John's Episcopal church, corner Third and Topeka avenue. Services at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Morning subject, "Some Strange Things." Music by the quartet choir with special offertory. Evening music by the robust choir. Sunday school, 9:30 a. m. All cordially invited to be present.

The following services will be held at the Emporia avenue Baptist church today: Regular preaching service at 11 o'clock a. m. and at 7:30 p. m. by Elder J. H. Miller, the former pastor of the Baptist Centennial Park. Sabbath school at 10 a. m. conducted by Superintendent R. P. Carlton. R. Y. P. U. meeting at 6:30 p. m. All are cordially invited to come and worship with us.

Revival service at Second Baptist church on Wichita street today. Pastor Copeland will preach at 11 o'clock. Subject, "The Injurious Effect of False Religion." Sunday school at 3 p. m. At 7:30 p. m. Dr. Rose will preach. Next week Rev. W. L. Grant of Topeka, Rev. G. W. Burdette of Lawrence and Rev. C. R. McDowell of Independence, Mo., will be present and assist in the meeting. The public is cordially invited to hear these distinguished divines.

Pineknoll Congregational church, corner North Lawrence and Second streets. Rev. Henry R. Thayer, pastor. Services at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sunday school, 12:15 p. m. Y. P. S. C. E., 6:30 p. m. Rev. E. Corwin, D. D., of Chicago, will preach at the morning service and in the evening deliver his lecture on "Hawaii, the Gateway of the Pacific." Dr. Corwin was for ten years pastor at Honolulu and is fully informed on all matters pertaining to the annexation of Hawaii.

At the First Baptist church, 27 North Lawrence avenue, today the Sunday school, under the care of Superintendent J. F. Shearman, will hold its session at 10 a. m. The pastor, C. H. Warcham, will preach at 11 a. m. The R. Y. P. U. will

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hold their Sabbath service at 6:30 p. m. At 7:30 p. m. the pastor will conduct a Home Mission concert. The midweek Bible class will meet on Thursday evening at 6:30 o'clock sharp. The regular prayer meeting of the church will be held Thursday evening at 7:30 o'clock. All most cordially invited to attend.

COMING LOCALEVENTS.

Regular meeting Wichita Division No. 28, O. R. C., at 2 p. m., Sunday, February 13. A. Anderson, Secretary.

Members of Wichita Lodge No. 20, N. R. A., should attend lodge Wednesday evening and learn more of the bloomer social to be held the following evening.

Regular meeting of Anson Skinner Camp No. 6, Monday night, February 14, 7:30 p. m. Let every member be present as business of encampment must be done.

There will be a Valentine social given by the C. E. society of the Brown Memorial church in the lecture room of the church, tomorrow evening. A cordial invitation is extended to all.

During the meeting of the grand lodge, A. O. U. W., the ladies of the Woman's Relief Corps will serve meals in the rooms under the Garfield Hall, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday next.

The Cooking club will meet this week with Mrs. Hyman, corner Topeka and Central avenues, on Friday night at 7:30. Thursday afternoon. Members take notes. Mrs. B. H. Campbell, president.

W. R. C. No. 42, will hold an open meeting next Tuesday evening. All old soldiers, Sons of Veterans and Ladies' Aid society, and their friends, are cordially invited to attend from 4 to 5 p. m. Refreshments will be served and a general good time. Come one and all.

The revival services being held at the Emporia avenue Baptist church are growing more interesting all the time. Elder J. H. Miller and Elder W. S. Cook are the brethren in charge. The meetings will continue through next week and some good old fashioned Baptist meetings are expected. "Come thou with us and we will do thee good, for the Lord hath spoken good concerning Israel."

Wichita Lodge No. 20, N. R. A., will give a bloomer social at their hall on Thursday evening, the 17th inst. All members and their friends are invited to come and note the latest fashions which will be represented by Bros. Rochelle, Gachenbach, Dunbar and Frank, who will positively appear in bloomers on that evening. Dancing and music will be a part of the program, after which oysters will be served.

BURT CYCLE HOUSE

Has Grown From Repair Shop to Wholesale Business. The M. H. Burt Cycle Manufacturing company of 25 North Main street have in the past six months worked up a wholesale business that is not only a credit to Wichita but to the manager, M. H. Burt, who is to be congratulated upon his remarkable success in this business. One year ago last October Mr. Burt opened a little repair and rental shop on South Lawrence avenue and he now controls a large bicycle house carrying a large stock. They are having made for them, the Burt and Pegasus bicycles besides jobbing several other makes. Mr. Burt has made two trips to Chicago and the east this winter and has looked at almost every bicycle made.

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